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For: INFORMATION RECORDING AND  
REPRODUCING SYSTEM ENABLING A  
SELECTION OF WHETHER OR NOT TO  
PERFORM AN INTERRUPTION AND  
RESUMPTION OF A DATA-RECORDING

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**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

This paper is in response to the Office Action dated August 26, 2004. Please reconsider the above-identified U.S. patent application in light of the following Remarks.

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